

Adult Services and Health Select Committee Chair's Update

| Scrutiny Review – Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards (DoLS) | |
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| Achieved since last meeting | The Committee considered the summary of evidence and discussed draft recommendations. |
| Problems or concerns | None |
| Planned next month | Agreement of final report on 15 November. |
| On track – yes / no | Yes |

| Overview / Performance and Quality Assurance | |
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| Key Issues / Problems or concerns | <p>North Tees and Hartlepool (NTH) NHS Trust Quality Account - The Trust will be requested to attend twice this year to report on attendance.</p> <p>Visits to Frontline Services – Visits in Q3 include: Church View Nursing + Care Home, Adult Social Work Team, First Contact, and Personalisation Team.</p> <p>Quality Standards Framework (QSF) – Results from Phase 4 (Learning Disability and Mental Health providers) are to be considered in November.</p> <p>Healthwatch – The Committee considered a report on discharge from North Tees with a care package, and Healthwatch's Annual Report in October.</p> |
| Requests for more information | - |

| NHS Updates / Consultations | |
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| Key Issues / Problems or concerns | <p>Better Health Programme –A number of proposals to change hospital NHS care will be put forward regarding hospitals based in the Durham and Tees Valley area later in 2016. Public consultation is now planned from June 2017.</p> <p>The statutory Joint Committee has been formed by all seven affected Authorities (including North Yorkshire) in order to consider and respond to the consultation. In advance of the formal consultation, the Committee will be reviewing the public feedback to date, plans for consultation, and the development of the options appraisal process. The Joint Committee has now met four times.</p> |
| Requests for more | Better Health Programme- The Joint Committee has requested |

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| information | further information on the overarching Sustainability and Transformation Plan for the area (of which Better Health now forms a key part), and local authority involvement in the process. |
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| Regional Health Committees | |
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| Key Issues / Problems or concerns | <p>Tees Valley Committee – Middlesbrough Council are hosting during 2016-17. The Committee met on 21 October and was due to consider an update from the Ambulance Trust, Learning Disability Respite review, and Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAMHS).</p> <p>Regional Committee – The Committee will next meet on 27 October. Agenda will include: North East and Cumbria Learning Disabilities Fast Track Transformation Plan, Sustainability and Transformation Plans (STPs), Neonatal Implementation Plan, and Vascular Surgery review.</p> <p>The national Congenital Heart Review has published new proposals and these will be put to public consultation in the Autumn. It is proposed that both Newcastle and Leeds be retained as 'Level 1' providers of cardiac surgery. It is proposed the November meeting considers this issue.</p> |
| Requests for more information | None |

| Monitoring | |
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| Key Issues / Problems or concerns | Next updates are scheduled for December. |
| Requests for more information | It was previously requested that a GP Commissioning Development session be provided by the Clinical Commissioning Group and NHS England, and this took place in September (this relates to the previous review of access to GP services). |

| Next Meeting | |
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| 15 November 4pm | |